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and black-topping the earthen portion of the road to a length of about 22 miles will be considered while drawing up the road development programme under the Second Five-Year Plan.''

Irregular drawal of teaching grant.

* 1936 *Q.*—SRI T. C. NARAYANAN NAMBIAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the teaching grant was drawn in the name of a teacher even after he had left the school in 1953 by the management of the Moothanthara Elementary School, Palghat, South Malabar;

(*b*) when the fact was found out; and

(*c*) whether any action has been taken or is proposed to be taken against the management of the school?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—'' (*a*) Yes, Sir.

'' (*b*) In February 1954.

'' (*c*) The recognition of the school has been withdrawn and the manager has been declared to be unfit to be a manager of any elementary school.

'' Mr. Speaker, Sir, this question has been answered twice. This was answered yesterday also.''

Danish personnel employed for sea-fishing.

* 1937 *Q.*—SRI K. ARANGANATHAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government had utilised the services of Danish Seamen and Danish Technicians for the purpose of sea-fishing during 1953–54; and

(*b*) if so, the details of the Danish personnel employed and the amount paid to them as pay and allowances?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM :—'' (*a*) The services of no Danish seamen or technicians were obtained by this Government during 1953–54. But the services of Mr. Paul Ziener, Naval Architect, a Norwegian, and that of Mr. G. Illugason, Fisheries Engineer, an Icelander, were obtained by the Government of India from the Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations to advise this Government on matters connected with the development of marine fisheries in this State.

'' (*b*) The experts are paid living cost at Rs. 25 per day for the number of days they work besides internal travelling allowance. These are in accordance with the agreement made by the Government of India.''